CAUGHT A HICH WIDOW

The Adonis Wheelman of the World's Fair in Luck.

HE WAS A POOR COLLEGE STUDENT.

Indiana Republican Editors in Session...Al most a Panic From a Slight Fire in Transportation Building-18,000 Commercial Travelers Parade.

CHICAGO, July 25 .- The World's fair has had its first genuine romance and has filled the 30,000 attaches with delight. The Adonis of the wheel chair department was a hero from one of the large Michigan colleges working out his vacation. Last summer he worked as a waiter at Lake Minnetonka and did so well that he had enough money to carry him through his winter term at college quite sumptuously. The chances broke, causing the disaster. of even doing better at the fair this year seemed very good, and he went to the wheel chairs. Of course, as he knew so much more than everybody



ENTRANCE TO THE FLORAL BUILDING. else and was so good looking he was in universal demand. The other wheel chair men hated him, but he didn't mind that so long as the women adored His wheel chair was never empty, and they do say that ladies sometimes continued to sit in it after they had seen everything, and for no reason except to hear him talk. He was most polite, and never wearied of telling people how the magnificent buildings are all made out of a composition that is as pliable as clay, and that all the pictures of Columbus can't be genuine, because no two of them in the fair look alike; and a thousand and one other things that showed how observant he was and how

He got a customer about a week ago, who seemed to hang on his words. He couldn't tell her the same thing too often, and after a bit she got a note book and jotted down all his most precious sayings. It went on four or five days and came to be a matter of general remark among the other wheelers. She was quite young and as pretty as a picture, and, indeed, the two of them, s they glided along the walks, were the

cynosure of all eyes. Of course, it was all on her account that the Adonis took his departure. He didn't turn up at all, and while the su-



BRITISH STORE MANUFACTURE BUILDING.

him late a messenger handed him a pote. The note was from Adonis and more. I cannot. I am going to be married." simply read: "I shall not report any

The superintendent was amazed when he learned later in the day that the future bride of Adonis, who was the ady of the wheel chair, is a widow n California, so enormously rich that ney. She inherited her fortune from her late husband, a rather elderly man who had made it in the rise in land values in the Golden State, but only lived six months after he had taken his weet bride to his bosom. Adonts will finish his term at college, and then he and his bride will go abroad to remain five or aix years.

The Indiana Republican Editorial

A slight fire in transportation build-ing almost caused a panic. Fully 18,000 commercial travelers vere in line in the grand parade.

An Electric Company Failure. BALTIMORE, July 25 .- The Southern Electric company, one of the big enter-prises of this city, made a voluntary as-signment to Morrill N. Packard. Failnre to collect overdue accounts made it impossible for the company to meet its obligations. The assets of the concern are estimated at \$175,000; liabilities, \$100,000. Mr. Packard filed a bond for

\$300,000 Breach of Promise Suit.

East Liverpool, O., July 22.—There are indications of a possible epidemic of suits for breach of promise in the courts of this county. The latest is that of Bertha Sample of the village of Columbiana, who sues John G. Beatty of same town for \$10,000 for failure to fulfill a marriage contract.

A Bank Enjoined.

MANCHESTER, N. H., July 25.—The ank of New England, formerly the ranite State Trust company, was en-ined from doing business on the same ness as in the case of the New Hamp-

COLUME AUTONOMIN MUNCTEU He and Others Must Stand Trial for the

WASHINGTON, July 25,-The grand jury has found indictments against Colonel Fred C. Ainsworth, chief of the record and pension division of the war lepartment: Contractor George Dant, who made the excavations at Ford's old theater; William E. Covert, superintendent, and Francis Sasse, engineer of

the building.
All are held responsible for the disaster of June 9 last, in which 23 lives were lost. The defendants will be compelled to give ball for their appearance

The indictment sets forth that the defendants, being in charge of the work of excavation underneath the building, wholly unmindful of the safety of the occupants, removed the earth supporting the pier without having first caus-

The Memphis Lynching.

MEMPHIS, July 25 .- There is a storm of indignation against Sheriff McLen-ion for his exhibition of weakness in mrning Lee Walker over to a drunken mob of hoodlums, railroad men and boys. Half a dozen men could have lefended the jail and run them into the Mississippi river. Judge Scruggs suspended McLendon pending an investigation, and placed the coroner in charge of his office. The grand jury was called today, and it looks as if McLendon will be indicated. The indicated the coroner in the control of the coroner in the coroner Half a dozen men could have be indicted. The judge strongly con-lemns the lynching, and says he will bring all the parties to justice. Harry Frayser, one of the mobleaders, was arested and others will be brought in.

Negroes Take Strikers' Places. BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 25 .- About 500 negroes were shipped from here for Kansas, where they will take the places of striking miners. They were crowded ato the cars like sheep. Many are gnorant of their destination. Agents of the mines are advertising for more, and 1,000 will be shipped if they can be ecured. The Knights of Labor and other labor organizations have issued actices warning the negroes and others against accepting the terms of the companies, saying they will be given star-ration wages and be treated like dogs.

Notre Dame's New President. SOUTH BEND, Ind., July 25,-The proincial council has selected Very Rev. Father Morrissey to succeed the late Very Rev. Father Walsh as president of Notre Dame university, and Rev. Father French will succeed Morrissey s vice president. The latter is now in

The Rajah on a Tour.

New York, July 25 .- His highness the Maharajah of Kapurshala, visited the Stock Exchange. The rajah and his party will go to Newport and the From iue at Chicago Aug. 2.

following day expect to be in Boston. they will spend Thursday. They are Sixty Persons Poisoned. ASBURY PARK, N. J., July 25 .- About 30 members of the Second regiment, New Jersey militia, in camp at Sea

poison from the tinware used in cooking. The surgeons are hard at work on the victims. Detroit's Birthday Celebrated. DETROIT, July 25 .- The two hun dredth anniversary of the city's birth

Girt.

have been poisoned by oxalic

was celebrated yesterday. The day will hereafter be known as Cadillic day in honor of the French explorer who settled here July 24, 1693. An Anarchist Plot Revealed.

MADRID, July 25 .- An anarchist plot was revealed by the arrest of five anarchists. The police have proof that they had already prepared many dyna-mite bombs for use in blowing up public buildings in this city.

PITH OF THE NEWS.

Crops in part of Nova Scotia have been Willie Adams, an 11-year-old boy near Greensburg, was frightfully mangled by a dog and will probably die. J. W. Griffith was drowned in the rive at Grafton. He was to have wedded as

at Grafton. He was to have wedded at estimable young lady Sunday. It looks as if there would be a lively scrap in Peru shortly, and United States citizens residing there are alarmed.

Anti-Briggs Presbyterians are wild over what they term the insulting character of the suspended minister's new book. In case Siam begins hostilities with France she will be backed up by China, while Russia will side with France.

United States marshals are in pursuit of Alexander Agis in Wayne county, W. Va. who is accused of tobacco moonshining. In an interview at Cleveland Secretar of Agriculture Morton placed himself or record as being opposed to wildcat banks

The Milburn Wagon works at Toleds have shut down. A reduction in waget had been made, which the men refused to Theatrical Manager Morton, husband of Laly Post, the opera singer, is in Blooming date Insane asylum. He is a victim of

Lacon Smith, the youthful forger, who worked Michigan banks for \$5,000, was sentenced at Grand Rapids to eight year in prison. Benjamin Harold, an aged man, tramping from Indianapolis to Grafton, W. Va. was run over by a freight train and killed at Parkersburg.

The Minnesota and Chandler Iron com pany, operating extensive iron mines of the Vermilion range in Minnesota, will curtail their product.

A third furnace of the Maryland Steel company at Sparrow's Point was banked throwing all the furnaces which had beer in operation out of blast.

John B. K. Plain, a Washington lumber merchant, while laboring under a halluc-nation, leaped off the roof of his house and was almost instantly killed.

It is reported that the military mission which Russia dispatched from Turkestar has for its object the final annexation of the Pamirs without consulting Great Ratesia.

A very unpleasant state of affairs exist in Honduras. Acting President Vasquet is getting even with his enemies by confiscating their property and keeping them under police surveillance.

g. 1). Dusinberre, cashier of the Bank of Puyaliup, Wash, who was arrested for embegglement of \$41,000 and released on ball, has been rearrested on a second charge of embegglement. He is in jail.

Governor MacCorkle of West Virginis has appointed H. A. Robson of Fayette gounty inspector of mines in the new district created by the last legislature. There are now three mine inspectors in the state

WILL BLOCKADE SIAM.

of Her Intentions.

France Notifies Other Nations

Yaris Newspapers Devoting Much Space to Abusing England - Italy Asks Great

Britain to Protect Her Citizens-Slam

MILITARY OPERATIONS TO BEGIN.

May Still Submit. Paris, July 25 .- The government has otified the powers that it intended to establish a blockade of the Siamese coast, without prejudice to the other measures that may be taken with the object of securing the guarantee France

is entitled to. A council of the ministers was held today to decide what additional measares shall be taken. President Carnot is at Marley-le-Roi, and the cabinet went there for deliberation.

The French government is making arrangements with another government for the protection of French subjects in Siam during the absence from Bangkok of M. Pavie, the French minister.

M. Pavie. French minister resident in Bangkok, lowered the flag over his office and has notified the Siamese government that he will leave the city to go aboard the French warship Inconstante tomorrow. He has requested the government to provide pilots to conduct he Lutin and Comet down the river. The French subjects in Bangkok will be placed under the protection of the Dutch consul.

The Temps says that the beginning of the blockade will be deferred until Thursday or Friday to enable France to take the steps prescribed by interna-tional law. Besides the blockade, military operations will be opened shortly. The details of the operations are still undetermined. They will be settled at a cabinet council within a day or two. Steps will be taken in Indo-China towards serious action immediately after the arrival of the battalion of the for-eign legation. The second portion of this battalion has sailed from Marseilles. The native militia will be reorganized, and together with the imported companies of the foreign legion, will cooperate with the force already in active service in the Khon district.

The majority of the Paris newspapers devote as much space to denunciations of England as to the matter at issue between France and Siam. England is repreached by them with supporting the Siamese in their opposition to France's just demands and with planning to give the Siamese secret aid when hostilities begin. The extreme Conservative and Radical newspapers alone abstain from discussing the situation. They are holding back so as to denounce the government in case the Siamese venture

proves a fizzle. A dispatch from Rome says that Italy has asked England to protect Italian subjects in Siam. The Siamese minister in this city has not yet received his passports from the French government. He will go to Lisbon or Madrid, as he is accredited to Spain and Portugal as well as to France. The minister still hopes for a peaceful settlement of the trouble. The Siamese secretary of legation said that no further news had been received at the legation from Banghok. Upon seeing M. Pavie em-barked, he added, the Siamese government might decide to accept the terms of the ultimatum. This supposition, however, was merely personal and did not rest on any definite information.

GREAT BARRINGTON, Mass., July 25. Augustus Hamlin, his wife, Mary Eu-Augustus Hainlin, his wife, Mary Eugene Peltier and Louis Victor and Rosa Labbe went rowing on Harmon's pond. The boat leaked. All crowded to one side and Peltier jnmped overboard. Mrs. Hamlin jumped out and clasped her arms around his neck and both sank at Hamlin fell out of the boat and sank like a rock. The two others were saved by clinging to the boat.

Arbuckle Mills Shut Down.

BROOKLYN, July 25.—General Smith of Arbuckle Bros. Arica coffee mills here, announced that their mills had closed down because of depression in trade. Over 800 persons are employed Mr. Smith said an effort would be made to start the mills Thursday.

Irishmen Laugh at the Story.

NEW YORK, July 25 .- Prominent Irish men here laugh at the story about the sinking of the Victoria by an agent of the dynamite party of Ireland, but say it is well known that England has been compelled to put spies in most of he regiments to watch the Irish soldiers.

Huston's Bank Fails.

CONNERSVILLE, Ind., July 25 .- The Citizens' bank, owned by ex-United States Treasurer Huston, failed to open its doors owing to financial stringency. The liabilities are not yet made known The depositors will, it is said, be paid in full.

Wife Deserts Her Family. SPRINGFIELD, O., July 25,—Mrs. Harry France of West Pleasant street has dis

appeared from home, deserting a hus band and two small children. It is thought that she has gone to Indianapo lis. No reason is assigned for her leav No Silver Purchase WASHINGTON, July 25-Two hundred

and eighty-six thousand ounces of silve were offered for sale to the treasury de-

partment, at prices ranging from \$0.7975 to \$0.7050 per onnce, all on which was declined and \$0.6960 ten Three Failures in Syracu

SYRACUSE, N. Y., July 25 .- Thre Syracuse business houses have assigned. They are H. L. Stevens, cloak dealer Joseph M. Hill, picture frames, and Sapery & Muscat, scrap iron dealers, Amount involved, \$70,000. A Tacoma Bank Failure.

TACOMA, Wash., July 25.—The Tacoma National bank, one of the strongest in the Northwest, suspended. This bank has been assisting other banks in the city for the past six months.

Brought Gold to New York. New York, July 25.—The steamship Ems, which arrived from Europe, brought \$200,000 gold, and the steam-ship Seneca from Havana, \$200,000 Spanish gold.

of West Virginia-

Mongastows, W. Va., July 24,-The West Virginia university is at this writing minus both a president and faculty. This result was reached when the board of regents in executive session declared every chair in the institution vacant. Notices have been served on each member of the faculty requiring them to present to the board at once their resignations. This seems to be a compromise movement to do away with an investigation of the charges preferred against Professor Ogden by President Turner. Professor Atkinson and Professor Davenport may also be removed, the two latter because the board deems it best to cut down the number of professors employed. The chairs of English and metaphysics will be consolidated and a new professor appointed for them. Now that it is finally settled that Turper's head must fall rominent among those mentioned for the presidency are ex-Judge Okey Johnson of Charleston and Professor Myers. who has charge of the United States experiment station here. It has been stated by members of the board that the new president will be a dark horse.

P. B. Reynolds, the late vice presi dent, was reappointed to his former chair, metaphysics, and will also teach English, the chair lately taken from Professor Ogden. A. W. Lorentz, the former principal of the preparatory department, was not reappointed, his place being given to Thomas C. Miller of Fairmont. By a manimous vote R. A. Whitehill was reappointed to the chair of chemistry and physics. James S. Stewart, the former professor of mathematics, was not reappointed, his chair being given to Professor R. A. Armstrong, principal of West Liberty normal school.

Lashed Nearly to Death.

CLARKSVILLE, Tenn., July 24 .- The whipping post was revided at St. Beth-lehem, six miles from here. A negro named Dude Sebree was tried before State Senator Slaughter, who is magis trate for that district, for stealing droves of turkeys and running them down and killing them with dogs. The verdict was that Sebree be publicly punished with the lash instead of being sent to jail to incur expense on the state and Willing colored men were county. present to apply the lash, including the relatives of the offender, and he was taken out and whipped terribly in the village street. The sheriff had to stop the punishment after a time or the would have had the life beaten out of him.

Suspension of Long's Pension.

Washington, July 24 .- Regarding the pension granted to Judge Long of the Michigan supplies court, which has been reduced by order of Pension Commissioner Lochren, Corporal Tanner, under whose administration the increase of pension was made, said: "The wound requires to be dressed from twice a day upwards, and Judge Long has no hand on that side to do the dressing, and has to be regularly attended by a nurse who does this for him. No matter with what luxury he is surrounded, if you take that attendant and let that old wound alone for one week, Judge Long would be a dead man, for it is a place that cannot be allowed to heal without producing blood poisening.

The Foster Failure

Toleno, July 24:-A statement ha een made by the assignee of the Fos toria Brass and Izen works, one of ex Secretary Foster's enterprises which went under in the recent crash. statement places the assets at \$147,69 and the liabilities at \$191,400, a much better showing than was expected. Charles Huffman Drowned.

ZANESVILLE, O., July 24.—Charles Huffman, aged 23, of Columbus, while here on an excursion, was taken with cramps while bathing in the river and drowned before his friends could res one him. The body was found two

Wheeling Man Injured.

SPRINGFIELD, O., July 24.-Will Riddle of Wheeling, employed in building a bridge for the Big Four three miles west of this city, was seriously injured here. He was standing on a board when something gave way, and the board threw him 15 feet in the air and he struck ground head first, fracturing his skull and breaking an arm and sev eral ribs.

Killed in a Wreck.

LIMA, O., July 24.-C. P. Jones printer, Hone Rector Ark and an un known tramp were killed in a Ft Wayne freight wreck four miles east of Lima. A broken wheel derailed and demolished 18 freight cars, the tramp being smothered in a car of coal.

A Receiver Appointed.

CIRCLEVILLE, O., July 24 .- B. Kath has been appointed receiver of the Half Lamge works by the common plea court. A Negro Lynched.

MEMPHIS, July 24 .- A mob of 1,000 men forced their way into the jail here and lynched Lee Walker, the negro assaulted Miss Mollie McCadden

near Bond's station, last Tuesday morn CHRISTIANA, July 24.-Nansen, Arctic explorer, has sailed from Vardoe for Nova Zembla. Reports from Nova Zembla and from the White sea regard-

WOOSTER, O., July 24.—Mrs. Nancy Q. Larwell, who celebrated her 100th birthday May 9, is dead. She was born at Pigeon Run, Pa., and came to Woos ter in 1817.

ing his expedition are unfavorable.

ORILIA, Ont., July 24.—The single soull race between Hanlan and Ganlaur was won by Hanlan. Time, 21:12 Gandaur quit before turning the buoy Struck by Lightning.

Bosron, July 25 .- The bonnet wire covering factory of Moses Fielark & Co., at Medfield, Mass., was struck by lightning and together with its contents destroyed by fire. Loss, \$20,000; insurance, \$12,000.

A Canadian Judge Dead. OTTAWA, July 25 .- Hon. Christophe 8. Patterson, supreme court judge, died suddenly of heart failure, aged 70 years. He had been five years on the supreme

FUNELUNERS ARE MAD.

Close Their Fair Exhibits. ANGRY FOR VARIOUS REASONS,

Belgium, France and Russia

Belgium and France Disgusted With the System of Awards. The Russian Exhibitors and Commissioners Have Collided With Inspector Bonfield's Men.

CHICAGO, July 22. - Belgium has

joined hands with France and declared her exhibits hors concours. She also gives John Boyd Thatcher to understand that her withdrawal from competition is largely due to a breach of faith on his part as chairman of the executive committee on awards,

The Belgian jurors explain their action as due to the failure of Mr. Thatcher to have the examination of exhibits completed before July 20, according to his promise, but this explanation is not accepted as full and complete by some of the other foreign jurors. It was said by a juror from Germany that the real cause for Belgium's withdrawal was disatisfaction

FRENCH GOVERNMENT BUILDING. with the entire system of awards. The juror from Germany also hinted darkly that there might be another foreign nation withdraw from competition before the week was over, or when the jurors would be more conversant with the

rules for judging the exhibits. Russia's rich exhibits in manufac tures building were closed to the public and the Russian exhibitors and commissioners were silently nursing their wrath, for one of Inspectors Bonfield's lynx-eyed sleuths had insulted the Rus sian flag and outraged international Several secret service men courtesy. and customhouse inspectors entered the Russian pavilion and demanded that apier mache manufactured by H. oukoutine, surrender the keys to booth, as they wished to search it. Plarr told his callers they must see Imperial Chamberlan Gloukhovskoy, in charge of the Russian exhibits at the fair. The detectives roughly refused to do anything of the kind, and threatened Plarr with arrest if he failed to comply with their demands. Plare declared

that he was a subject of the czar and under his commissioner's protection. One of the detectives then made the profese and insulting remarks that may result in an international squabble Plarr's callers still insisted on being allowed to go through his booth, and he finally surrendered the keys under pro-The search of the booth developed nothing amiss. Indeed Plarr does not understand yet what the detectives

wanted. Imperial Chamberlain Gloukhovskoy who is also one of the czar's councilors of state, has written Director General Davis setting forth the facts in the case. Colonel Davis says the foreigners are entitled to, and will receive apologies and assurances of immunity from like

indignities hereafter.

A Murderous Convict. COLUMBUS, O., July 22 .- A murderous assault occurred at the penitentiary. Charles Wilson, serving three years from Lucas county for burglary, atbacked Foreman John Landis, of the Brown-Henman agricultural implement shop, with a large bowlder striking bim on the head and felling him to the ground. Landis was badly cut and ruised by the blow, and in falling struck upon some sharp-pointed imple ments, lacerating his face. He was carried to the prison hospital, where his injuries were dressed by Dr. Ireton. Wilson is a second-termer, having done time in the Jackson (Mich.) prison The assault was the result of an old grudge.

A Disaster on the Lake.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., July 22. The first tidings of another lake disster were brought here by the steamer City of Windsor. Captain J. S. Moore reported that the light house keeper at Big Duck island found part of a cabin schore at Walkhonse, on the south side of Manitoulin island, 14 miles northeast from Duck island, with one body in the top of the cabin. Two other podies were found on the beach nearby, also a part of pilot house. No name or description could be learned, or color of wreckage ascertained.

Destroyed by Lightning.

Kingwood, W. Va., July 22.—The large new barn of M. A. Zinn, near Reedsville, six miles west of here, was struck by lightning and entirely de-stroyed by fire. He loses his new building, the season's crop of wheat and oats, and his reaper and mowing machine. He and his men had just stepped out to winroe some hay.

A Kentucky Distiller Goes Under-

FRANKFORT, Ky., July 22.-A sensa tion was caused here by the assignment of Colonel E. H. Taylor, Jr., the famous distiller, to the Lexington Trust company. Liabilities not given out but it is said they are far exceeded by

A Run in Oklahoms GUTHRIE, O. T., July 22 .- Runs wer started on every bank in the city, bu things are quieting down.

Drygoods Imports at New York. NEW YORK, July 22.—The imports of rygoods at the port of New York for the week were \$2,814,282 and the amount marketed \$3,281,085.

WITHOU MY WESTIGHT PAILS It Is Caused by the Failure of the Premier

Bemocrat.

Louisville, July 24,-Charles W. De pauw and the New Albany Rail Mill company of New Albany have made an assignment for the benefit of their creditors. The cause leading to the failure was the assignment of the Premier Steel works in Indianapolis several months ago, of which Charles W. Depauw held 64\* shares. Mr. Depauw said: "I can tot but little regarding the assignment. It is a personal one and does not in any way affect the interests of my bother, N. T. Depanw. The failure we caused by the contin gent liabilities on paper of the Premier Steel works, in Indianapolis, and the rail company in this city, and the financial stringency now prevailing through out the country. If I am able to real ize on the assets I will be able to pay

out two for one.' Mr. Depauw's individual assignment is a sweeping one, and the man who was worth \$1,000,000 three months ago is now practically penniless. The debts for which Mr. Depauw became liable for the New Albany rail mills and the Premier Steel works amounted to about \$800,000. Of these over \$500,000 worth are indorsements for the Premier Steel works and the remainder for the New Albany rail mill. The value of these two plants and stocks on hand in ordin ary times might be placed at \$2,000,000.

Perkins Succeeds Stanford.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., July 24.—Gov-ernor Markham settled the vexed question of the senatorial succession by pointing George C. Perkins as the successor of Stanford in the United States senate. This action was a surprise, as it was expected the honor would be given to M. H. De Young, M. M. Estee or Irwin Stump, Perkins is an ex-governor of California and has filled many state offices. Brazilian Insuigents Victorious.

RIO GRANDE DO SOL, July 24 .- A important battle with the insurgents a

Jaguarao has resulted in the complete overthrow of the government troops The commanding general of the govern ment troops, Soares, was killed. A Trust Company Enjoined. CONCORD, N.H., July 24.-The New

Hampshire Trust company of Man chester, one of the heaviest financia institutions in the state, has been en Bank Commissioner Lyfore has gone to Manchester. To Compete With the Standard. St. Peterseurg, July 24,-The gov

ernment has reduced railway freight on transcaspian cotton and Baku petro leum, in order that both commoditie may compete with the American prod ncts in the European markets. Hugh O'Donnell an Editor. CHICAGO, July 24.—Hugh O'Donnell so well known through his connection

with the Homestead affair, has perms

nently taken up his residence in Chi cago, having assumed tion on The Eight-Hour Herald.

PITH OF THE NEWS. New Yorkers are fearing another plagu-

The pope will grant no more audiences while the hot weather lasts. The American Sabbath union is in convention at Asbury Park, N.J.

Farmers at Martin's Ferry are trying to exterminate the English sparrow. The sewerage bond proposition was feated in the election at Bridgeport, O. Twelve men occupying a boat on the River Danube at Vienna were drowned. There are now 4,000 men unemployed at St. Paul, Minn., and the number is being

It is estimated that there are fully 20,000 workmen in the Michigan mining dis tricts unemployed.

The St. Louis Real Estate Exchange de nounced the Sherman silver law and de manded its repeal.

Mr. Ashfield, proprietor of the defunct Citizens' bank at Ada, O., will be prose-cuted on a charge of fraud. All the mines in California are reducing expenses by cutting down salaries of offi-cials and wages of employes.

Two masked men held up Mrs. Vaner chek, a farmer's wife, near Rutledge Minn., and robbed her of \$400. The New York, New England and Northern railroad was incorporated at Albany with a capital of \$3,000,000.

O., and the latter is now under a doctor's The General Christian Missionary soci ety, representing 1,000,000 people, has de cided to hold the annual convention at

A friend with a cast-iron grip shook hands with Stewart Watt at Barnesville

William Davis and Arthur Moore quar-reled at Blue Point, Ark.. over the hand of a maiden. During a fierce struggle Davis was shot and instantly killed The first 12-inch gun built in this country has been placed in position at Sandy Hook. This is in accordance with the idea to provide protection for New York city

Benjamin Thomas and his son stopped

to drink from a spring near Newpo Ky. Both were overcome by sulph fumes, fell in the spring and w drowned. Austin Davis, a millionaire, secured a divorce from Hattie Davis at Kansar City. Austin claimed that his wife refused to live with him, preferring a life of idleness.

New York labor bureaus are making tempting offers of employment upon the payment of \$2.50 to unemployed negroes in North Carolina. Already a number have taken the bait. S. Sandford & Sons, employing 2,000

people in their carpet works at Amsterdam, N.Y., have shut down. Sandford says work will not be resumed until the tariff question is settled. The Central Traffic association will be relegated to a long sleep very shortly. The management of the Vanderbilt roads

is taking the initiative, claiming that i costs too much to keep it up. The National Association of Dancing Masters is radically opposed to the ex-hibitions given by Algerian dancing girls at the World's fair, claiming that they are deprayed and

deprayed and immoral and tend to bring the art of dancing into disrepute. The British ship Bowden, which sailed from San Francisco March 22 for Queens town, was wrecked on April 27 on One Island, one of the Friendly group. No lives were lost. The ship is a total loss lives were lost. The ship is a total loss The Bowden was one of the four vessels that started on March 22 to race from Sar

Francisco to Queenstown. George McComas, who was elected prosecutor for Cabell county, W.Va., initiated his term of office by bringing wholesale his term of office by bringing wholesalt indictments against gamblers and making it so hot for them that most of them wer, driven out of town. They now have their inning, for McComas has been indicted for gambling himself and will be put up for trial this week. He has been suspended from office pending the trial. for trial this week. He has be from office pending the trial.

## WHITE CITY DESERTED.

The Gates of the Fair Closed Tight Vesterday.

CLINGMAN WILL PUBH HIS CASE.

The Wan With the Injunction Against Sunday Closing Threatens to Make a Fight-Ills Attorney Will Try for a Decision This Week,

CHICAGO, July 24 .- The White City was deserted yesterday. The Sunday closing order was rigidly enforced and any person who entered the exposition grounds had to prove that his presence there was absolutely necessary. There was no trouble of any kind from persons wishing to enter the grounds. The nearest approach to a disturbance was at 9 o'clock, when a drink-flushed individual mounted a box across the street from the Fifty-seventh street entrance and called vortice only for 100 volunteers to aid him tearing down a secnion of the fence in order to allow poor



WILD BEAUTY'S ATTRACTION.

Hyde Park policeman stopped the harangue, however, and took the man away in a patrol wagon. The crowds outside the gates along Stony Island avenue were small during the entire da", and the numerous side shows did

nothing.

C. W. Clingman, who brought the injunction suit against the World's fair company to prevent the fair from being closed on Sunday, it is claimed, is ready to fight his case. William E. Mason. his attorney, said: "It is perfectly ridiculous the way the directors are acting in this Sunday closing question. They have been on both sides and are now on the fence. The only reason they wish to close the gates now is on account of the \$1,900,000 they got from Congress. They think if they close the gates now Congress will not take action for the return of the money. In this they are mistaken. Opening the fair for only one Sabbath is sufficient ground

for Congress to ask for the return of the appropriation. Mr. Clingman says he will not dissolve the injunction, but will push the case to the end. This week, under the advice of my client, I shall ask for an injunction restraining the directors from closing any buildings on the grounds to the public. Even the government build-ing will be included in the injunction.

I hope to get this point decided by the last of this week. The grounds upon which the fair is built is the property of the people and the law says they can use it at all times. No matter whether the attendance be 40 or 4,000 the gates must be kept open. The management says the fair is losing money by Sunday opening, but such a statement is all nonsense. Nearly al of their men are employed by the month and it is very little additional

expense. In conclusion the attorney said he was sanguine that before many weeks not only the gates of the fair but all of the buildings would be open to the public on Sunday as well as any week

lay.

Refused New Trinis. PITTSBURG, July 24 .- The Law and Order people, with the exception of Tschudy, who was found guilty of perury, were refused new trials by Judge Porter. Tschudy was given another chance to convince a jury that he did not lie under oath. He was overjoyed when the announcement was made and wrung the hands of Attorney Marron. McClure and Kaercher became deadly pale when they heard the words of the judge. Alderman Rohe could not hear, and asked a reporter what was said. The little chief justice almost wept when he was told. He said the shantyboat transaction was a matter

of ignorance on his part, Agent Groves Found Guilty.

Wheeling, July 24 .- In the case of the state vs. William Groves, late local superinindent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, charged with forgery, the jury returned a verdict of guilty, after being out about an hour. The usual motion for a new trial was made, the consideration of which was deferred to a future time, and the defendant was remanded to jail. The case has been a hard fought one, on both sides, and is but the forerunner of several other and similar cases yet to

be heard in court. England May Win the Case.

Washington, July 24.—Private let-ters received here from Paris state that Senator John T. Morgan, one of the Behring sea arbitrators, will sail for home Aug. 5. He intended to leave in time to be present at the opening of congress, but will be prevented by private business from so doing. All of the other American members of the conn sel have gone. The general impression prevails that the United States case is not as strong as it should have been and a report in favor of England will

cause but little surprise. Sentenced for Preaching Sedition.

Tirnova, Bulgaria, July 24.—The Metropolitan Mgr. Clement, after a long trial, has been convicted on the charge of preaching sedition in the cathedral, and has been sentenced to banishment from Bulgaria for life.

New York, July 24.—A morning paper says; Joseph Jefferson, the vet eran actor, is near death, and a can cerous affection of the neck is the caus